



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 10/777,782 Confirmation No.: 3128  
Applicant(s): Mario MASCHERETTI et al.  
Filed: February 13, 2004  
Title: CONNECTOR FOR CONNECTING A FIBRE FEEDING DUCT TO A  
AT LEAST ONE TEXTILE MACHINE  
TC/A.U.: 3765  
Examiner: Andrew W. Sutton  
Docket No.: 82062-0107  
Customer No.: 24633

**MAIL STOP ISSUE FEE**

Commissioner for Patents  
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**REQUEST FOR REFUND**

Sir:


Applicants hereby assert that Assignee for the above-identified application was at the time of application filing a Small Entity. The above-identified application was erroneously filed as Large Entity due to clerical error. Applicants respectfully request for refund in the amount of \$945.00 which is half the amount of fees paid on July 27, 2004 in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts. Applicants hereby request the refund of be applied to Deposit Account 50-1349, and further asserts the above application is entitled to half the payment of the Issue Fee for this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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